





## HUSHED UP.

A GAMBLER CRAZY DRUNK, AND HIS SPANISH DAGGER.

And the High Old Time He Raised with It Several Weeks Ago—Several Men Seriously Cut—No Arrests—No Notoriety.

A desperate attempt has been made to keep quiet a cutting affair, or to speak more accurately, a series of cutting affairs which took place a few weeks ago in the heart of the city. The rows took place in the Elite saloon, on First street, between Spring and Main streets, and in the bar of the Nadeau Hotel, the cutting being done mostly, if not all, in the latter place. While there were no less than a dozen men mixed up in the affair, they have maintained such a discreet silence that neither the police nor the newspapers have heretofore learned the details. When it is understood that these two saloons are largely frequented, and among the quietest and most orderly in the city, it is very strange that the matter has been kept so religiously by the participants and their friends.

The principal actor in the affray was Frank Rose, a man who has the reputation of being one of the slickest gamblers on the coast. The night in question he had been drinking all the evening, and about 3 o'clock was in the Nadeau bar. He is one of those men who become crazy when under the influence of liquor, and he was so loaded that night that he did not know friend from foe. He and a crowd were standing in front of the bar, among them being a former Attorney-General of Iowa, a diamond clerk of the hotel and several bystanders, one of them a henchman of Rose. He was very quarrelsome, and all at once struck the henchman full in the face, felling him to the floor like a log. The man's head struck on the foot rail and was stunned. The others present interrupted and tried to quiet Rose, but he became wilder and wilder. While the former night clerk was expostulating with him, Rose hauled off and hit him in the eye, knocking him down. Several crowded around, and suddenly an elderly man in the stranger in the city, who was also in the crowd, discovered that blood was dripping down his fingers. Uttering an exclamation he examined his arm and found that he had been cut in the arm. Just at this moment it was discovered that Rose had a life or small dagger, and every body sheered off from dangerous proximity to him. The row terminated at this time, and all the parties disappeared when it was whispered about that an officer had been sent for. The officers came, but all was quiet as they arrived, and they went about their business.

This was but the starting point, however, in the events of the night. Rose was loaded for bear, and determined to let them if he could. The next scene took place at the Elite saloon, where Rose got into a spirited argument with several men who were there. They had a war of words, Rose being in such a crazy state that he was really a dangerous man. When he went out, after it looked as though the police would have to be called, he returned to the Nadeau, and there recounted, in a crazy way, his idea of the fight that had occurred. According to his fevered imagination he had been surrounded by an army of enemies. "Why," he said, "they flocked about me like bees. And I scattered them. Did you see me scatter them—all trying to kill me?"

After an interval of two hours from the time of the first fight, in the gray dawn, when the streets were deserted, another crowd gathered before the Nadeau bar. Among them were Jack Hetherington, George Dickson, a traveling man, and some others whose names have not been learned. Rose came in, and he had been industriously imbibing, was, if possible, crazier than ever. It seems that there was some hidden resentment which he had toward one of the men, on account of a woman whom he had formerly been intimate with, but from whom he had been separated for a long time. In the meantime she had been in love with the other man, and is at the present time very fond of him. Whatever the cause, it appeared in a short time that Rose was determined upon a row. Ugly remarks were made, and from words the men soon passed to blows.

Rose, it is said, pulled the same dagger from the inside of his coat which had been used in the former row. It was a short Spanish dagger, about four or five inches long, which he was in the habit of carrying in a sheath sewed into the inside of his coat. Word had been sent during the evening by the woman to look out for Rose, as he carried this dagger habitually, and, when drunk, was more than likely to use it. As soon as the row began Rose began to cut right and left, and soon the crowd scattered in all directions. Four men in all were cut, and blood began to drip about the floor from the wounds of the victims. There was a scene of indescribable confusion. One man was stabbed in the wrist, and two in their arms, where they had warded off the blows of the dagger in the hands of the enraged man. A cry of "police" was raised, and the participants in the affray disappeared. One of them ran around behind the bar, and got out through the hotel lobby, another through the front door, and by the time the police arrived all was quiet as before, and there was no trace of the belligerents.

One of the men was laid up in bed for two weeks; another carried his arm in a sling for a number of days, and the remaining wounded men nursed their cut places for several days. It was by sheer good luck that they escaped so lightly, as Rose was cutting away for dear life.

The next day the participants came to some sort of an agreement to keep still about the whole affair, and nothing was ever said about it publicly. Amongst the saloon-keepers and gamblers, however, it has been the general topic of conversation for several weeks. It might easily have resulted tragically, and those who were the victims feel very thankful that they got off as well as they did, particularly as no arrests were made.

Fire Commissioners.

The Board of Fire Commissioners met in the Mayor's office yesterday morning, with Mayor Bryson, Mr. Kehrle, Mr. Hanley and Chief Moriarty present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, after which the usual weekly bills were audited and ordered paid.

The matter of fencing in the lot behind the East Los Angeles engine house was referred to the Chief and Mr. Hanley to ascertain the cost of fencing.

Adjourned.

## THE WHEREWITHAL.

Quarterly Apportionment of the State School Fund.

The following is the third quarterly apportionment of school money for the school year ending June 30, 1889.

This apportionment is made upon the number of teachers assigned to, and the average daily attendance in the several districts, for the school year ending June 30, 1888.

The amount apportioned for each teacher in districts having 20 and more census children is \$150, and for each district having less than 20 census children, \$50.

The amount apportioned upon the average daily attendance in each district is \$12 per capita.

Total amount apportioned, \$205,646.

Average daily attendance for year ending June 30, 1888, 11,673.

District.	State.	Library.
Alameda.....	\$1,000 00	\$50 00
Alhambra.....	412 00	50 00
Alhambra.....	1,373 00	50 00
Aliso.....	133 00	25 00
Aliso.....	133 00	25 00
Aliso.....	2,904 00	50 00
Antelope.....	237 00	44 20
Artesia.....	1,360 00	50 00
Azusa.....	2,770 00	50 00
Arroyo City.....	1,255 00	50 00
Baldwin.....	314 00	50 00
Bellevue.....	341 00	49 00
Belmont.....	265 40	40 00
Borwick.....	123 20	25 00
Borwick.....	778 00	50 00
Borwick.....	297 00	50 00
Borwick.....	646 00	50 00
Centralia.....	494 00	50 00
Centralia.....	490 00	50 00
Cienega.....	287 00	43 00
Clearwater.....	341 00	49 00
Coldwater.....	233 00	37 00
Coldwater.....	2,350 00	50 00
Crescenta.....	233 00	37 00
Delhi.....	265 40	40 00
Del Sur.....	341 00	49 00
Diamond.....	496 00	50 00
Downey.....	2,620 00	50 00
Duarte.....	1,060 00	50 00
Eagle Rock.....	175 40	30 00
El Estero.....	211 40	34 00
El Estero.....	946 00	50 00
El Monte.....	1,228 00	50 00
Enterprise.....	330 00	47 00
Evergreen.....	50 00	50 00
Felton.....	233 00	37 00
Florence.....	496 00	50 00
Fountain Valley.....	297 00	44 20
Fruitland.....	436 00	50 00
Fullerton.....	473 00	50 00
Garden Grove.....	938 00	50 00
Glendale.....	946 00	50 00
Green Meadows.....	364 00	50 00
Harmony.....	994 00	50 00
Highland Park.....	562 00	50 00
Hudson.....	215 80	38 00
Hyde Park.....	179 00	31 00
Inglewood.....	484 00	50 00
Ivanhoe.....	412 00	50 00
La Brea.....	338 00	45 40
Laguna.....	276 30	41 80
Lancaster.....	300 00	33 40
La Puente.....	514 00	50 00
Los Angeles.....	254 00	39 40
Laurel.....	353 00	50 00
Little Lake.....	994 00	50 00
Long Beach.....	1,468 00	50 00
Los Angeles.....	76,915 00	500 00
Los Feliz.....	319 40	46 00
Los Nietos.....	825 00	50 00
Logo.....	448 00	50 00
Monrovia.....	2,074 00	50 00
Morningside.....	400 00	50 00
Mountain View.....	946 00	50 00
Newhall.....	370 00	50 00
Newport.....	900 00	50 00
Newport.....	904 00	50 00
New River.....	562 00	50 00
Northridge.....	1,680 00	50 00
Ocean.....	354 60	39 40
Ocean View.....	460 00	50 00
Oliver.....	814 00	50 00
Los Angeles.....	3,094 00	50 00
Orangehorpe.....	592 00	50 00
Pacifica.....	365 40	40 00
Palmdale.....	364 00	50 00
Palmdale.....	825 00	50 00
Pasadena.....	1,248 00	50 00
Pico.....	436 00	50 00
Pomona.....	706 00	50 00
Pomona City.....	7,576 00	50 00
Providence.....	233 00	37 00
Rivera.....	586 00	50 00
Rancho.....	1,016 00	50 00
Roseland.....	3,370 00	50 00
Rowland.....	1,360 00	50 00
San Antonio.....	574 00	50 00
San Bernardino.....	720 00	50 00
San Fernando.....	964 00	50 00
San Francisco.....	341 00	49 00
San Gabriel.....	1,630 00	50 00
San Jose.....	338 00	50 00
San Juan.....	646 00	50 00
San Pascual.....	14,488 00	50 00
San Pedro.....	1,913 00	50 00
San Ramon.....	8,306 00	50 00
Santa Anita.....	904 00	50 00
Santa Monica.....	3,118 00	50 00
Santa Susana.....	254 00	39 40
Santa Susana.....	376 00	50 00
Savannah.....	910 00	50 00
Seville.....	1,432 00	50 00
Silverado.....	382 20	38 00
Soledad.....	300 00	35 00
Sulphur Springs.....	297 00	44 20
Sycamore.....	1,360 00	50 00
Tehachas.....	880 00	50 00
Tehachas.....	332 00	50 00
The Palms.....	598 00	50 00
The Pass.....	412 00	50 00
Union.....	50 00	50 00
University.....	1,438 00	50 00
Vernon.....	243 80	38 00
Vernon.....	1,403 00	50 00
Vineyard.....	131 40	24 00
Vineyard.....	265 40	40 00
Westminster.....	1,090 00	50 00
Wilmington.....	2,134 00	50 00
Yorba.....	338 00	50 00

Total.....\$199,094 00 \$5,932 00

Respectfully, W. W. SEAMAN, County Superintendent.

March 1, 1889.

Labor Exchange.

The quarters of the Free Labor Bureau being found inadequate for the constantly increasing demands, it was found necessary to remove to No. 9 Fort street, opposite the Times office, yesterday afternoon. The new offices are nicely fitted up, there being a ladies' reception room where female applicants can wait while positions are being found for them. A gentlemen's room, where those waiting for places may read, and a secretary's office, where all who desire places, can register their names, and where all applications for help are made.

Since its opening the rooms have been crowded every day. There have been registered for places 1845 men and 870 women. Places have been found for 364 people. Estimating that each person who has secured a place saved \$2.50, the aggregate amount saved to the working people during the past month has amounted to \$910 in fees alone. The Exchange being now an established institution, orders are coming in more freely for help of every description, both from the city and country, and the field for good is constantly increasing.

The Wheelmen.

The Los Angeles Wheelmen held their annual election of officers last evening in their rooms in the Panorama building, which resulted as follows: J. W. A. Off, president; A. E. Little, vice-president; J. Phil Percival, secretary-treasurer; M. A. Baker, captain; D. L. Burke, first lieutenant; W. C. Gordon, second lieutenant; John Tufts, bugler; executive committee, J. W. A. Off, J. Phil Percival, M. A. Baker, W. S. Wing, A. E. Little and John Tufts.

A. M. Crothers resigned his membership. Chief Consul Mohr presented a club picture of the Bay City Wheelmen and he was tendered a vote of thanks.

The club is now making active arrangements for the forthcoming fourth State meet of the California division to be held on May 30th.

## PASADENA SENSATION.

A HANDSOME OLD LADY, HER DAUGHTER AND A BABY.

A Gray-headed Banker Who Is Likely to Be Called to Account—Allegations of a Put-up Job to Export Money.

About a year ago a handsome old lady came down from Oakland and gave out that she wished to secure a lodging-house in this city.

For some days she spent her time driving about the city with real-estate agents, but failed to find anything to suit her, and the next heard of her she had located in a fashionable lodging-house in Pasadena.

As soon as she got her business straightened up she sent to Oakland and brought down a handsome young lady who was introduced as her daughter. The two seemed to think a great deal of each other, and as they were highly educated, especially the daughter, and acted as if they had always moved in first-class society, they were taken up by some of the best people in Pasadena and were made much of.

No one knew anything about their past history, and both of them knew how to keep their own counsel. A word or hint was dropped here and there to such good effect that their acquaintances came to the conclusion that they had once been very wealthy, but had met with reverses and lost their money. The mother and daughter were always together, and although the young lady had a great deal of attention paid her at the hands of several young men, she remained at home, and was never seen at any of the places of amusement.

Finally it began to be whispered about that she was receiving the attentions of a well-known banker, who is quitted and the father of a grown family. The scandal grew in magnitude, until it was finally stated that the old gentleman might be seen going in and out of the lodging-house at all hours of the night.

This threw the gossips into a whirl of excitement, for the reason that the old gentleman is a prominent church member, an active worker in the Y. M. C. A. and a member in good standing in the Prohibition party.

Things went along this way for some months, when the girl suddenly disappeared, and she has not been seen about the yard since. This sudden disappearance created a good deal of talk, and a quiet search was made for her, when it was learned that she was still in the house. As soon as this discovery was made, the old lady gave out that she was in poor health, and that the family physician had ordered her to remain in her room and not receive company.

This story seemed to be satisfactory, and the whole matter dropped, although the old banker made his regular visits to the house, or the neighbors thought he did.

One day last week the gossips were thrown into a frightful state of excitement, when it was learned that the old lady had been seen at the Nadeau bar, where she had been seen before.

The women are not at all backward about talking now, and do not hesitate to say that the old gentleman is the father of the child, and that a suit will soon be brought for seduction.

It is generally believed that the whole thing is a blackmail scheme, and that the two women put up the job on the old gentleman. It is one of the most singular cases that has come to light in this city for some time, and if it ever gets into the papers, it will be highly sensational.

Those who have seen the young mother say that she is a most beautiful woman, and those who know her are of the opinion that she has been either led or forced into a most diabolical scheme, by which she has been ruined for the benefit of others. Very few believe that she is the daughter of the lodging-house keeper, and are anxious to have the matter thoroughly sifted by the proper authorities.

## GRAND ARMY NEWS.

Ex-Speaker Randall Mustered In—Gen. Warner's Order.

Ex-Speaker Samuel J. Randall was mustered into George G. Meade Post, No. 1, Philadelphia, March 4th. A provisional post was organized at Washington by special dispensation, and Gen. Warner, Commander-in-Chief, acted as commander. The muster was the grandest ever witnessed in the Grand Army, and was attended by prominent members of the order from different parts of the United States. Mr. Randall and Gen. Warner are personal friends. It seems that Mr. Randall found two occasions to serve his country in the field, and even while he was a member of Congress. He was a sergeant in a Philadelphia troop of cavalry, and served some time near Harper's Ferry during the three months' campaign. During the advance of the Confederates into Pennsylvania in 1863, Mr. Randall was captain of the same company.

Gen. Warner, Commander-in-Chief, has issued an order forbidding G. A. R. posts, as such, inducting any person into a political office. The following is the article bearing upon the question: "No officer or comrade of the Grand Army of the Republic shall in any manner use this organization for partisan purposes, and no discussion of partisan questions shall be permitted at any of its meetings."

Recommendations of this or that person for office should be made by comrades solely as citizens. At a grand banquet by the G. A. R. at Washington Gen. Longstreet was present and made a patriotic speech, in which he said that in the wars of the future the soldiers of the South would be found shoulder to shoulder with those of the North in protection of the common country.

## New Cases.

A suit was begun yesterday in the Superior Court by John C. King vs. S. G. McLellan and S. C. G. Barclay for foreclosure on two promissory notes of \$4000 each. The amount sued for is \$1943.64, now due, and \$300 attorneys' fees. The land by which the notes were secured is in the southwest corner of section 25, township 1 north, range 10 west, containing 40 acres.

A suit for foreclosure on a promissory note of \$1750 was begun by H. G. Horton vs. George H. Buckingham and William J. Buckingham. H. L. Welch and E. A. Learned, administrators of the estate of George J. Learned, began proceedings against M. V. Biscailuz to quiet the title to property in this city.

Louis Gottschalk began suit against the Nadeau Vineyard and Land Company on a promissory note for \$400. Suit was begun by E. Herriott and J. Herriott vs. Jean Goyenhoe for \$425, alleged to be due the plaintiffs for board, tuition and books to his son Dominique for two years past.

## POLICE.

Joseph Schultz's Modest Bill for a Bath.

The Board of Police Commissioners met in the Mayor's office yesterday afternoon, with Mayor Bryson presiding, and Mr. Kehrle and Chief Conney present.

After the reading of the minutes, saloon matters were taken up, and T. Navero was granted a license for a saloon at the Continental Hotel, No. 29 San Pedro street.

John Yates was granted a license for a place at No. 511 South Spring street, and Edward Lawton, his barkeeper, was granted a license for the old stand at No. 507.

F. F. Kratt & Co. were allowed to transfer their license from No. 134 South Spring to No. 124 Fifth street. The license of Scott & Villa, 11 East First street, was transferred to H. A. Cline.

Sansburg's license for No. 40 Wilmington street was transferred to Ed Schilling.

The application of Capello & Co. for a saloon license for No. 135 East First street was referred to the Chief for investigation.

The petition of one Cobb, an orange peddler, to be allowed to keep his wagon at the corner of Court and First streets was denied as contrary to the ordinance, and the board declined to make an exception in his favor, as it would be setting a bad precedent.

The petition of property-owners on Aurora street against the obstruction of that thoroughfare by the Southern Pacific Railroad, together with Superintendent Hewitt's reply, which was under way as carried out, at the end of two years Los Angeles will be the greatest railroad center on the Pacific Coast.

A number of big railroad men have their eyes on this section of the country, and it is stated on good authority that Mr. Huntington's visit out here means that he has made up his mind to force the Southern Pacific Company, of which he is one of the principal stockholders, to do something more than to make promises to the people of Southern California. The Southern Pacific Company is in a position to do a great deal for this end of the State, and when it is remembered that one of its roads, which is the best paying property in the world, is located in this section, it is not surprising, but that it should do something for this country.

The ex-cursion agents are a mighty sick-looking gang since the big roads and the Pullman company sat down on them so hard. They snorted and raved around for a few days, but they are gradually swinging into their proper level, and in a short time will either go into some regular business or will degenerate into professional ticket-scalpers. The fellows who thought they owned the whole country, and that they could bulldoze every body who opposed them, have come to the conclusion that big talk don't pay on this coast. One of them, who swore that he would take excursions over any of the roads whenever he chose, met with quite a disaster the other day. He advertised a free excursion and hired a car for \$90, and when the train pulled out he had but 16 people in his party. At this rate he will not be able to keep a gang of 12 or 14 hangers-on.

Orange trains are pulling out for the East almost every day at present. The Southern Pacific, the Santa Fé and the Burlington are capturing all of the business.

The Santa Fé will send out another big excursion through the Santa Ana Valley next Sunday.

## ALAS, POOR MILLER!

No Satisfaction for His Rough Handing.

A ludicrous case was tried before Justice Savage yesterday. It was brought against R. H. Ramsey, J. C. Johns and H. H. Martin, the charge being that they had interrupted a meeting at the Pavilion and disturbed its peace.

The prosecuting witness was A. H. Miller, who was an independent candidate for Street Superintendent at the recent election. A meeting of colored people was held at the Pavilion shortly before the election. There was quite a large attendance, and in the midst of the meeting Miller, headed by a brass band and a large transparency bearing the motto, "Our Choice for Street Superintendent, Col. A. H. Miller," invaded the hall and marched to the stage. The meeting became the scene of indescribable confusion, and the transparency was torn to pieces. The Col. and his band being ousted by the sergeant-at-arms and assistants.

The case was brought by Miller, who with sublime cheek accused the sergeant-at-arms with having disturbed the peace of the meeting. The court-room was crowded with colored people, and several witnesses were examined. Justice Savage could hardly keep his face straight during the proceedings, although he struggled to do so. He dismissed the case, and in doing so said that he could not say what he would do, but it was possible that if the plaintiff's name had been in another place in the complaint, his decision might have been different.

The Wrong Defendant. A queer case of mistaken identity came up in Judge Cheney's court yesterday, and there is a question as to who has blundered. The case of Charles F. Campbell was called, and Charles was not there. He is a colored man, and was charged with dealing in a game of stud-horse poker. He was released on bond after examination in justice court, and took French leave. Charles Gommel, a half-witted man from Azusa, charged with burglary, answered to Campbell's name upon the arraignment of that individual, and pleaded not guilty. The court officials were not familiar with the men, and Campbell's case was set for trial, Gommel being the Campbell.

When Gommel was arraigned the mistake was discovered. Campbell, however, cannot be found, and the Court yesterday vacated the order to try Campbell with Gommel, remanding the latter to jail to be examined for lunacy. The Sheriff was ordered to make diligent search for Campbell. His bail bond could not be found, and the case is decidedly mixed, no one seeming to know anything about it.

Deafness—Noises in the Ears. Dr. R. M. Bloom, lately associated with the celebrated Dr. Sailer, is now permanently located at No. 320 South Main street (Moro Caselle). Diseases of the eye, ear, throat and nose exclusively. Ringing, roaring and buzzing in the ears and discharges from the ears successfully treated. All operations skillfully performed. Free consultation from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; eve, 8 to 9; Sunday, 12 m. to 2 p.m.

The use of Angostura Bitters excites the appetite and keeps the digestive organs in order. Dr. J. G. B. Siebert & Sons, sole manufacturers.

Large consignment of second-hand furniture at auction Saturday, March 9th, at 3 p.m. H. H. Matlock & Son, 144 South Spring street.

Albert biscuits, Dresden wafers, all flavors, and full assortment of crackers, at J. Jevon's.

## TIE AND TRACK.

PRESIDENT OF THE CARSON AND COLORADO IN TOWN.

He Comes to Look Into the Question of a Connecting Link Between His Road and the Southern Pacific—The Knocked-out Excursionists.

President Taylor of the Carson and Colorado Railroad, which runs through Owens Valley, in Inyo county, within 120 miles of Mojave, is in the city for the purpose of extending his road to Mojave, thus putting one of the richest sections in the country in direct communication



## SAME OLD FAKE.

HAD BOUGHT A LOTTERY TICKET FROM A LITTLE GIRL, And Asked His New-found Acquaintance to Go Up and See Him Draw His Prize—A Game That Was Blocked.

Another bunco scheme fell through yesterday, and if the case had been followed up by the "victim" at least a part of the gang would have been landed in the City Prison. Several days ago a young man named George J. Madison, correspondent of the Oshkosh (Wis.) Times, came out from the East and took quarters at the Hollenbeck, being assigned to room No. 140. Madison had a friend named Cole, who roomed at the Crystal Palace lodging-house, on Main street. According to Madison's story, Cole introduced him to another young man, who said he also hailed from Oshkosh, and then excused himself to go after a telegram. This was yesterday morning, at the Hollenbeck. The new Oshkosh man then told Madison that he had purchased a lottery ticket some time ago from a little girl, a master of charity, and he had just learned that he had drawn a prize, and asked him to go along and see what he had got. Madison consented, and was taken to the Ramona lodging-house, at the corner of Spring and 2nd streets, when they went to room No. 12. Here another man was found, who invited them in. The Oshkosh man produced his ticket, when the "layout" was displayed and, after a little juggling on the part of the fakir who was found in the room, it was announced that the ticket had won \$200, but as the Oshkosh man had only one-tenth he was entitled to but \$20 on the ticket and \$1 commission. A check was made out for \$20, and the man said that he could have another draw for the dollar. The young man pretended not to want to gamble any further, but finally played and lost. He then asked Madison to put up \$20 and he would put up the same amount and they would see what they could do. Madison says that they played and won \$200, and that the man behind the table handed out the money, \$100 to each of them. He said that he wanted to quit, when the dealer pulled the money down and said that, according to the bylaws of the association, he would have to put up \$40 and draw again, as no money could be taken up until the game had been played. Madison said that he declined to do this, telling the dealer that he could take \$40 out of his pile, which would leave him \$160. The dealer refused to allow, when he suggested that he borrow the money from his friend. This was also objected to, when he told his friend to step outside the door and loan him the money, when there could be no kick. The friend then commenced to abuse him, saying that he had enough of his kind, when he told him to give him back his \$20 and he would quit, as he knew it was a swindle and he would not be allowed to take the money away that he had won. This was done, and he left the place and came to the police station, when he reported the facts to Detective McCarthy. Chief Conroy was not in at the time, but when he returned he at once sent McCarthy to find out what he could about the affair. McCarthy went to the Ramona, but found the door of No. 2 locked. On looking over the transom into the room the "layout" could be plainly seen, just as it had been described by Madison, and a watch was set on the place, but up to a late hour last night none of the gang had come in. Madison had to go to San Diego last evening, but will return by the end of the week, and an effort will be made to identify the men.

The people are being educated up to the tricks of the bunco sharp, and it will soon be impossible for them to play their nefarious calling, unless some new "fake" is devised, which will be shown up as soon as it is sprung. Strangers visiting the city should keep their eyes open for these swindlers, and should assist the police in bringing them to justice by remaining to identify them.

**POOR CRIPPLE RACKET.**  
A Boy Who "Kicked" Against the Crutches.

Monday night a boy about 15 years of age was arrested on Los Angeles street, in company with a couple of burly tramps, for begging on the streets, and locked up. The trio were working what is called the "poor cripple" racket—that is, they had a pair of crutches, and would take turn about in removing a shoe and playing "cripple" for the purpose of working on the sympathies of passersby. The crutches were too long for the boy, and made his arms ache, he said, so he struck, when the men kicked and beat him. He then gave the snap away, and the whole party were arrested. They came up before Justice Austin yesterday for trial on the charge of vagrancy, and, as the evidence was straight against them, they were convicted. The boy gave the name of Frankie Phillips, and said that his parents lived at the corner of Fifth and Jefferson streets. He was a vagabond from choice, and begged to get money to divide with his friends, the tramps, rather than to go to his home, which was too far. Justice Austin sent an officer out to the place indicated, and found a family by the name of Phillips living there, but they said that they had no son. The boy then refused to give his name, and said that he would prefer to go to San Quentin for 15 years rather than to disclose the name of his parents. It is the opinion of the police and court officers that the boy is of good family, but is naturally depraved and follows the life he has been leading from choice. He will be held for identification.

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The Los Angeles Slaughterhouse Company, which has filed articles of incorporation, has a capital stock of \$25,000, all subscribed. The directors of the new enterprise are: L. H. Gornley of Pima county, Ariz.; William Sholderer, Isaac B. Newhall, Charles S. L. Vail of Pima county, Ariz. Another enterprise which filed articles yesterday is the Northern Coal Company. The mines of the company are in Alaska. The capital stock of the company is placed at \$1,000,000, and is reported all subscribed. The directors of the company are: D. Freeman, J. Roberts, J. A. Bradley, John Bryson, Sr., and T. B. Brown, all of Los Angeles.

The Eagle Rock Water and Improvement Company filed articles of incorporation. The company is organized for the purpose of developing water and supplying it upon certain land. The capital stock is \$20,000, all subscribed. The directors of the company are: A. M. Hough, D. W. Strong, W. G. McKoon, J. D. Fuller and Mrs. M. J. Wiswell.

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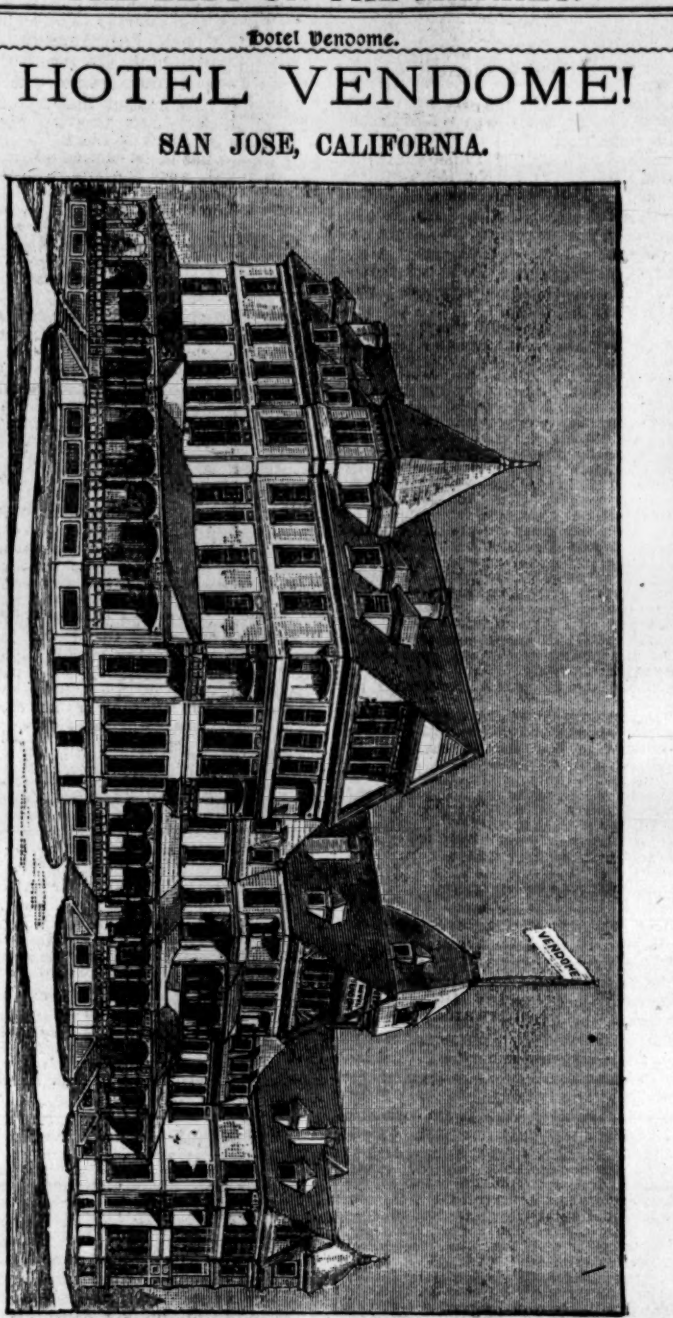
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A NEW railroad is to be built to Redondo Beach. We shall soon have plenty of outlets to the seaside.

EUROPEAN papers seem to be quite put out because the inaugural was not written to suit them. "Tis too bad!"

BRITISH capitalists are said to be buying up the big American breweries. Another outrage on the part of "perfidious Albion."

Two years ago, at the height of the real-estate boom, the Santa Clara placers would scarcely have created a ripple on the surface. Now, it is different.

AN Ohio case has decided that the man who "grub-stakes" a prospector has a legal interest in the latter's finds. This is justice, and it is good to know that it is also law.

If the new Minister of Agriculture will suppress insect pests with the same firmness which he exhibited towards the Anarchists in Milwaukee, the farmers will be "jubilant" indeed.

THE bunco men are still playing their old, old games. It is a subject for speculation whether their victims ever read the papers. It seems scarcely possible that they can, or they would not be so easily duped by such time-worn devices.

SAN DIEGO has already established the "Santa Clara and Baja California Mining Bureau," with branches "to be located" at Santa Clara, Ensenada, San Francisco, St. Louis and New York. Can't they give Los Angeles a branch, or even a twig?

REPRESENTATIVE DAMRON writes that his bill for a reformatory school includes boys and girls from 10 to 18 years of age. Senator White has promised him that the bill shall pass that branch. Mr. Damron thinks the Legislature will remain until the 16th inst.

THE San Diego Union reports a landlord of that city as saying that he would soon have to telegraph to San Francisco for help. He need not send quite so far as that. There are plenty of people here who will be glad to hold down any places that are vacated by the gold seekers.

In a late interview, Mr. Cleveland is represented "as down-right good-natured over his defeat," and as saying: "What the people desire they will have and ought to have." Well, yes; the people desired to have Mr. Cleveland set aside, and it is gratifying to know he is "down-right good-natured" over it.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to ask what further steps the people in the proposed county of Orange will have to take should the bill get through the Legislature and be signed by the Governor. The bill would fix the county seat and date of election, whereupon the citizens would hold primaries and proceed as in the case of an ordinary county election.

THE Kansas Senate has, by a vote of 36 to 9, passed a bill reducing the age of consent to 12 years. Only a few years ago the Kansas Assembly raised the age to 18. This may be too high, but 12 years of age is certainly far too young for a girl to be permitted to dispose of her person, and the passage of such a retrograde bill is most discreditable to the Kansas Senate.

The president of the Carson and Colorado Railroad is in the city, looking into the feasibility of completing that road to Mohave, and so securing an outlet to the sea by way of Los Angeles. In view of the shortness of the gap to be covered, and the great importance to this city of the road, it certainly does appear strange that our capitalists will not contribute enough to build the road, and thus unite with the rich mineral fields of Nevada.

AN will be seen from our dispatches this morning, the Commissioner of the General Land Office has rendered an important decision, affecting private land grants in the southern portion of Arizona and New Mexico. The land around Calabasas, regarding which the decision is given, includes some splendid country, timbered with live oaks and abounding in game, with a fine climate. There will doubtless be quite a rush for slices of the land, as the value of the same becomes known.

## THE MORNING'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

Latest about the new gold fields in Southern California. Sensational testimony at the prison investigation at Sacramento. Heavy seizures of smuggled opium at San Francisco and Tacoma. The new Cabinet assumes office. Remarkable mineral discovery near Aspen, Colo. The Cuban sugar crop light this year. Brilliant display of fireworks at Washington in honor of the new President. Annual meeting of the Texas and Pacific Company at New York. Sales of California oranges in Chicago. Copper stocks excited at Boston. The West Virginia contest to come up in the State Supreme Court today. Public receptions at the White House. Conference of State railroad commissioners at Washington. Wetzel county, Pa., overrun with dogs. The Haytian rebels defeated by Legation forces. Proposed consolidation of Union Pacific's branch lines. Provisions of the Indian Appropriation Bill for opening Seminole and Creek lands to settlement. Important decision by Commissioner Stockholder affecting land in the "Gadsden purchase" in Arizona. Failure of an insurance company at Columbus, O. Ex-President Cleveland goes to New York. Weir and Murphy, featherweights, sign for a fight. The tragic ending of an Illinois elopement. Nine children poisoned near Mt. Sterling, Ky. London comments on the new treaty between the United States and Japan. King Milan abdicates. News of Explorer Stanley. Failure of the California Legislature. Sensational scene at the funeral of a Joliet (Ill.) convict. Failure of the Farmers' Union of Livermore Valley.

## THE LATEST GOLD EXCITEMENT.

It is, of course, useless to advise people to exercise caution in running off to the gold excitement in Lower California. Those who have made up their minds to go will go, were one to preach to them for twenty-four hours. To attempt to hold back a man who has the gold fever in his veins is about as useful as to preach moderation to one who is already flushed with wine. They must both be allowed to take their fill. Even those whose baggage is packed may not, however, object to listen to a few facts.

Gold excitements have been of periodical occurrence in the peninsula during the past quarter of a century. One of the latest, previous to the real-estate boom, was that at Muleje, in the southern part of the peninsula, which drew crowds from all parts of the Pacific Coast. The net result of that excitement was the stranding of several hundred people, while several died of thirst on the desert.

Since that time, and since the boom, San Diego has made two unsuccessful attempts to create a mining excitement down there, this being the third. It is easy to see what a big thing it is for San Diego, just now, when the real estate dealers' occupation, like Othello's, is gone, to have several thousand people making that city their point of departure and supplies. The Bay City papers understand this perfectly, and make hay while the sun shines, by padding out their descriptions of the excitement with price-lists of supply stores.

That there is gold in Lower California there is no doubt. There are hundreds of square miles of gravel, from every cubic foot of which gold may be panned out. The same is true of the entire southwestern country. In the western part of Pima county, Ariz., near Quijota, are thousands of acres of rich placer ground, showing old Mexican workings, but the trouble with all these is that they are too far from water to be successfully worked by white men. In the case of the Santa Clara diggings, there appears to be a small stream of water at this time of the year, which will probably dry up in a month or six weeks, after which the miners will have to depend on dry washing, by means of the primitive batea or one of the numerous "dry washers," none of which have so far proved successful. There appears to be some nuggets in the gulch at Santa Clara, but the extent of the find is as yet very problematical.

An exodus to the mines from Los Angeles just now would not do any particular harm, except, perhaps, to those who join in it. In the present condition of the labor market a little depletion would be a blessing. It is scarcely probable that any will go so far as to throw up permanent jobs in order to go to the diggings, but if they do there will certainly be plenty of people to take their places and to hold them.

THE TIMES has a trustworthy correspondent on the way to the auriferous field, and will give its readers the latest and most reliable news. In the meantime nothing will be lost by awaiting further particulars. If, as the San Diego boomers claim, it is a bigger thing than Marshall's discovery of 1849, the gold will not be all gone in a week, or in six months, while the San Diego merchants will have had time to secure a full supply of gold-pans, which, we are informed, are at present becoming scarce.

## AN IMPOSSIBLE APPOINTMENT.

The Bar Association is to hold a meeting today to recommend two Superior Judges for appointment by the Governor. It is reported that one of the aspirants is J. W. McKinley. It is possible that this man may have sufficient confidence to aspire to the position, but we cannot believe that such a body as the Bar Association would deliberately recommend for a place on the bench an individual who was a conspicuous failure as City Attorney, who is distinguished neither for ability nor integrity—who is, in short, a third-class slyster, and as such recognized in the profession. The Los Angeles bar has certainly not sunk so low as to necessitate the selection of such a man as McKinley for a seat on the bench.

Such an appointment as this would have the effect of destroying that respect which should be felt by the people for the judiciary. It would, in fact, be considered by the respectable citizens of Los Angeles county as little short of an insult. We sincerely trust that we are misinformed regarding the possibility of a favorable consideration by the Los Angeles bar of this

## UNSATISFACTORY PERSON'S NAME FOR A POSITION OF SO GREAT HONOR, TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

## THE NEW ADMINISTRATION.

The members of President Harrison's Cabinet have assumed their official positions at the head of their departments, and the President himself has been kept busy handshaking. Genuine good feeling has prevailed between the outgoing and incoming officials and courtesies have been exchanged on every hand. It will need a little time for the incoming officials to familiarize themselves with their spheres of usefulness. After that we may expect to hear of some changes and new departures, but it need not be anticipated that any radical changes will be made without good cause.

Some expressions of dissatisfaction are heard in California at the omission of the coast from representation in the Cabinet. It was certainly supposed, with some reason, that we should obtain recognition, but, as we remarked yesterday, we must have patience for four years more, by which time, at our present rate of growth, we shall be able to demand a place. Then, again, we must not forget that the omission is undoubtedly due largely—perhaps entirely—to our lack of unity in agreeing upon a man. Had the Pacific Coast united in recommending a name to Mr. Harrison, it is probable that we should have a representative in the Cabinet today. Let this be a lesson for our politicians in 1892.

## A VENOMOUS VOICE.

That particularly pure organ of prohibitory political purity, the Voice, has been criticizing some actions of Dr. Cuyler, but the venerable gentleman gets back at the Voice in good shape. He says that after forty-five years of usefulness, unpaid and untiring labors for temperance, he will not submit to the crack of any dictatorial whip, nor allow the editor of the Voice to defame him with impunity. He states his present position as follows:

"While I applaud the zeal and honor, the sturdy convictions of my temperance brethren in the third party, I cannot ally myself with you for three very strong reasons: (1) Long observation has taught me that wherever and whenever prohibition has been successfully enacted, it has not been by a separate, distinct temperance party. (2) I am conscientiously opposed to your present, but I have no objection to both total abstinence and the suppression of the liquor traffic. I do not feel at liberty to identify myself with any party organization. I have no objection to your third-party men in labors for the common cause, and in paying honors to the memory of the lamented Finch; and I have no objection to your following exactly the policy I regard as your grave mistake. My policy is to labor for the overthrow of the drinking usages and the entire suppression of the liquor traffic wherever it is possible or attainable. I go for any and every method of eradicating it. 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## THE GOLD FEVER.

## Latest Reports from the New Diggings.

## Some Spicy Testimony at the McComb Prison Inquiry.

## Many Applicants for Federal Offices in California.

## Failure of the Farmers' Union of Livermore Valley—Large Seizures of Smuggled Opium—Coast Notes.

By Telegram to the Times. (Special.) The scene of the gold excitement in Lower California is near Santa Clara Mountains, about 75 miles a little south of east from Escondido, and 130 miles from San Diego. There seems to be no question about the richness of the placer discoveries, but the question of their extent is yet an open one. Coarse gold is being taken out in considerable quantities from a narrow gulch some two miles in length. It is claimed that other gulches adjacent are quite as rich, but this claim cannot yet be considered authenticated.

Direct and reliable information from the mines is yet too meager to warrant very sanguine opinions, especially as to the extent. There are probably five or six hundred persons at camp by this time. None have yet come away, except a few who left to get provisions and immediately returned, and there is an universal agreement among these as to the richness of the placers now being worked.

Numbers are leaving here daily for the mines, most of them going overland with wagons. There is much excitement. Complete and trustworthy information, giving the actual experience of persons at the mines, may soon be expected. Until that is received, prudent people will make haste slowly. No large quantities of gold have been received at Escondido or San Diego, but reliable persons from the mines claim that the gold taken out is held in camp for want of means of transmitting, the few who are coming in not being willing to assume the risk of carrying it. This is a conservative view of the situation.

## SMUGGLED OPIUM.

## Heavy Seizures at San Francisco and Tacoma.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—(By the Associated Press.) The custom-house officials made an important seizure of opium on the steam collier Empire this morning. About 700 5-lb boxes, valued at \$4300, were captured, and Edward Jansen and John Garvan were arrested for smuggling.

The collier arrived on Monday from Nantano, with a cargo of coal for R. I. Chandler, owner of the vessel, but a search by the customs inspectors revealed nothing contraband.

At several seizures had been made on the vessel before, Inspector Durkin was placed on the watch. About midnight Edward Jansen, the watchman, became very friendly, offering him some cigars and a drink. Not long afterward Durkin saw Jansen throw something overboard, and, rushing up, found three bags of opium hanging from the side, near the water, ready for removal by an expected rowboat.

Deputy Surveyor Fogarty was summoned, and, on his arrival, the bags were found to contain 555 five-lb boxes of opium, a long and thorough search of the vessel brought to light two more bags in the hold, making the quantity 758 boxes. Jansen and Garvan were later in the day taken before United States Commissioner Sawyer, and, in default of \$1000 bail, taken to Alcatraz.

## PRISON SECRETS.

## Director Scrivener Testifies—Some Racy Episodes.

SACRAMENTO, March 6.—(By the Associated Press.) The State Prison investigation was continued tonight. Ex-State Prison Director Scrivener was shown the letters alleged to have been written by himself, and acknowledged their authorship. The letter in which the writer declared that he could "stand the boys off no longer" was read, and Mr. Scrivener said he meant just what was suggested—that many of his friends were desirous of securing places. Concerning the third letter, in which reference was made to the 10 syndicate, witness said certain "disensions had sprung up in the board, and Lattrell, Sonntag and himself, being appointees of the Governor, thought it their duty to stand by McComb and the Governor in any legitimate way."

Senator White, in other words, you three directors, with the board, agreed to band together to run the prison.

Scrivener: That's practically it. Scrivener said the Governor knew of this, and that they took it upon themselves not consciously to carry out his views, they would give way, and let him appoint somebody else.

Scrivener said that the alleged auditing of bills by prison directors is a farce. They take the warden's statements for all items, and know absolutely nothing regarding the financial affairs of the prison. In fact, the witness said the prison commissioners are an utterly useless body. He believed it would be an advantage to the management of prisons if the Board of Directors were abolished.

Director Sonntag said he believed the prison directors very necessary to the management of the prison.

Witness denied that he ever received a cent as commission on purchasing fuel, and said the man who made the accusation knew he was lying.

## ASSIGNED.

## The Farmers' Union of Livermore Valley Goes Under.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—(By the Associated Press.) The Farmers' Union of Livermore Valley which was incorporated in 1884 to transact a general merchandise business in that district and make loans upon produce, made an assignment last night to J. H. Hall, administrator of the Board of Trade, for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities are stated at \$140,000. The largest creditors in this city are the Bank of California and the Anglo-California Bank. Several of the Oakland banks are also creditors for small sums. The total amount due the bank is said to be about \$85,000. Baker & Hamilton, the Hawley Bros. Hardware Company, Levi Strauss & Co. and other firms of this city are said to be unsecured creditors to the extent of \$25,000.

A committee of creditors has been appointed to look into the affairs of the union, as some of the large creditors claim to have found evidences of at least bad management. The union was organized with a capital of \$100,000. Daniel Insman is president, G. C. Stanley, vice-president, and G. W. Conney, general manager.

## WILLING TO SERVE.

## Candidates for the Two California Marshalships.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—(By the Associated Press.) The Examiner's Washington special says David Bush, M. M. Drew, John V. Barold, J. V. Dinwiddie and J. S. Tompkins, all of San Francisco, are applicants for the office of United States Marshal for the Northern District of California.

Los Angeles furnishes three applicants for the position of Marshal of the Southern District in the persons of J. D. Dunlap, A. M. Hurdin and James Hawson.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

Senate. SACRAMENTO, March 6.—(By the Associated Press.) The bill to create the county of Glenn came up in the Senate this afternoon for the third reading, and the debate continued till the evening recess.

The debate on the Glenn County Bill was resumed in the Senate this evening, and continued until 9 o'clock.

A vote was then taken, and resulted in the passage of the bill—yeas, 27; nays, 23. Mr. Boggs of Colusa gave notice that he would move to reconsider tomorrow.

The resolution approving the San Diego charter was adopted without opposition.

The Omnibus School Bill will be reported to the Senate by the committee tomorrow.

The following bills passed: To amend the act incorporating San Diego; to authorize county officers to survey unsurveyed lands of the State; to authorize school districts to furnish the free use of text books.

Assembly. SACRAMENTO, March 6.—In the Assembly the bill establishing the State Board of Horticulture and appropriating money therefor was passed.

Mr. Ostrom's resolution providing for the appointment of a joint committee to consider an adjournment sine die was lost.

The committee on Elections in the contest between Regan and Began reported in favor of seating Regan.

On recommendation of the committee, the House voted to seat Mr. Dinan, in the contested election of Morton vs. Dinan.

This afternoon the Governor's veto of the act repealing the incorporation act of the city of Monterey was unanimously sustained, at the request of Mr. Kenison, the author of the measure, and a similar bill, which had been introduced in the Senate during the morning, and passed as a case of urgency, was then taken up and passed.

The Assembly bill in relation to reassessment of property and equalization of the same in cases where former assessments are invalid or, and in relation to the collection of taxes in said reassessments, came up for second reading, and Mr. Ostrom spoke in favor of its passage. He said that the bill was drawn up by a committee of the State Board.

Mr. Dibble spoke against the bill, and claimed that as it would allow a reassessment of property for years back, it is a dangerous measure.

Mr. Kent of Monterey said he was opposed to the bill because he believed it would reach everybody but the corporations for which it was intended.

Mr. Hall of Santa Cruz spoke in advocacy of the bill, though he said the bill would never pass the Assembly.

The bill was refused a second reading by a vote of 31 to 17.

At the evening session a number of bills were read a first and second time.

The San Diego charter was referred to the Judiciary Committee to report on Friday.

The Crops Safe. SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Reports received by some of the heaviest grain operators here are to the effect that the crops of the State are in general safe, even if no rain is had for one, two or three weeks.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES. About Mrs. Prescott.

LOS ANGELES, March 4.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] As the last article on the library that appeared in your paper was somewhat personal in its tone, let me make a few statements, personal also.

There is a report being sedulously circulated that the appointment of Mrs. Prescott as librarian was a Democratic movement. Since there are a great many people who take such a statement for gospel truth, without any inquiry whatever, it is for their benefit the following points are given: Mrs. Prescott, always a Republican, belonging to a Republican family, had three brothers, all of whom enlisted in the Union army; all of whom were wounded, one dying in consequence of his wounds. She was called to St. Louis to nurse one of them. This was just after the recall of Gen. Fremont, and Mrs. Prescott, a staunch Fremont, because a staunch Republican, was taken from the South, who could never approve of Fremont, and the disaffected North. But through all the many months of consequent annoyance she was true to her convictions.

On the recovery of her brother she gave two years of gratuitous services to a sanitary commission work in St. Louis, and at the close of the war gave another two years of unpaid services to the Freedmen's Bureau. She was appointed superintendent of freedmen's work in the Mississippi Valley.

With all the zeal that she had displayed in the sanitary work she devoted herself to organizing freedmen's schools; organizing those that have developed into "the Summer High School" of St. Louis, the "Lincoln Institute" of Jefferson City, the "Garrison Institute" and "Peabody Academy." This is not the kind of work that has the exclusive support of Democratic leaders. Nor, you may say, does it bear upon the fitness of a candidate to fill the position of librarian. This I readily grant; but with the knowledge of these facts that of still others was possessed by the Councilmen who made the appointment. Let me give a few of these:

Mrs. Prescott taught during 14 years as principal of high-grade schools in St. Louis, was superintendent of kindergarten work in Oakland under the W.C.T.U., to which organization she had belonged from its foundation; organized and supported for many months a kindergarten in that city; was invited by the W.C.T.U. to read a paper before the Lameda County Convention; did "aggressive work for temperance;" was invited to read this again before the summer Chautauqua meeting at Pacific Grove; was appointed for her war record Chief of Staff of the National President of the W.C.T.U.

Besides these experiences, which help fit one for almost any position in life, Mrs. Prescott has been a member of the "Ancient Literature Class of Oakland and San Francisco," and was invited to represent the class at its annual meeting, the subject of the paper to be read by her being assigned by the class.

She was for two years corresponding secretary of the noted "Ebell" Society of Oakland.

John Manco Cheney, poet and librarian of San Francisco, sent a letter of congratulation to Mrs. Prescott on her appointment to office here, at the same time expressing his appreciation of the benefits to the library that would result from it.

A word to the wise is sufficient.

## OLD WORLD NEWS.

## The London "Times" Again in Bad Humor.

## Milan Abdicates and Austria Feels Out and Injured.

## Germany Preparing a New Deal in Samoan Affairs.

The Patriotic Leaguers in France to Be Tried Without Jury—More Tidings of Explorer Stanley—Foreign Notes.

By Telegram to the Times. LONDON, March 6.—(By Cable and Associated Press.) The Times, commenting on its correspondent's inference that the treaty of commerce between America and Japan provides for the admission of Americans to entire commercial citizenship in Japan in return for America's resigning for Americans in Japan immunity from Japanese municipal laws, expresses doubt whether the favored nation clauses of the older treaties do not prevent Japan from enlarging American rights without granting the identical boon to other treaty nations at the same time. The Times complains of the conservatism of English diplomacy in the matter of obsolete and worthless privileges, to the detriment of commercial interests, England being accused of Japan's attempt to establish commercial relations with other nations.

NEWS OF STANLEY. NEW YORK, March 6.—A private letter from Hoega, on the Congo, says Henry M. Stanley has started on his journey to rejoin Emin Pasha. He has told his plans, except that he will not return by way of the Congo. September 14th a Stanley courier, bound for Europe, arrived at Tait with a letter addressed to Mr. Ostrom, who is sick, so his intelligence will be delayed. Tippe Tib did not join Stanley, as the latter requested in already published letter written at Urenia August 17th, but sent his trusted lieutenant, Mohob, to follow Stanley, spy out the land and make raids for slaves in the interior.

MILAN ABDICATES. BELGRADE, March 6.—King Milan has abdicated the throne of Serbia. Crown Prince Alexander will be proclaimed king tomorrow. Protitch, Belmarkovic and Ristich will act as regents during the minority of the King, who was born August 14, 1876.

King Milan, in announcing his abdication, declared there would be no change in the relations existing between Serbia and Austria.

It is stated that Milan will shortly contract a morganatic marriage. Many fear the return of Queen Natalie, who has been in exile since 1882.

LONDON, March 6.—The Vienna correspondent of the Times says: "The Austrian cabinet has been thrown into a state of consternation by the abdication of Milan, which it will result in Russian ascendancy. Milan goes to the Riviera. His private debts amount to \$2,000,000."

PARIS, March 6.—It is again asserted that Rochereau, director of the Comptoir d'Escompte, committed suicide with a revolver, having lost a private fortune of \$600,000.

The evening papers concur in the opinion that Rochereau committed suicide. The chiefs of the principal banking firms met today and resolved to place themselves at the disposal of the Government in order to assure in case of necessity the repayment of all deposits.

THE PATRIOTIC LEAGUERS. PARIS, March 6.—The Temps states that the magistrature who are conducting the inquiry into the affairs of the Patriotic League have found documents proving that the league was engaged in a scheme to mobilize its members. The Government intends to criminally prosecute the chiefs of the league for conspiracy against the State.

Deroulede, Laguerre and Richard will be prosecuted for organizing illegal clubs instead of on the original charge of exposing the country to the risk of war, in order to avoid trial by jury.

THE SAMOAN OUTLOOK. LONDON, March 6.—The Standard's Berlin correspondent says that the Kaiser will represent America in the Samoan conference.

Another Berlin dispatch says that Herr Stuebel goes as special commissioner to restore order in Samoa, and that he will have control of the squadron in Samoa waters. He is reported to be an able diplomat. American accounts of the terms of the armistice arranged by Herr Stuebel and Matsaia are not believed in Berlin.

SELLING TALKING ABOUT THE INAGURAL. BERLIN, March 6.—The National Gazette says of Harrison's inaugural: "There is no reason to doubt the President's pacific principles or the sincerity of his opinion regarding the peaceful adjustment of international difficulties. Although he recommends strengthening of the navy, his tone toward foreign countries proclaims the beginning of a new era in American development and the display of a more assertive policy by the United States."

A SPENDTHRIFT PEER. LONDON, March 6.—Viscount Mandeville, eldest son of the Duke of Manchester, has been declared bankrupt. His liabilities are \$600,000. The cause is a life living and betting. In 1876 he married an American wife, Miss Yanaga of New York.

NOTES. LONDON, March 6.—Queen Victoria sailed today for Cherbourg on her way to Biarritz.

SYDNEY, March 6.—The Ministry of New South Wales has been defeated on a question of protection and resigned. Sir Henry Parkes will form a free trade Cabinet.

BERLIN, March 6.—The Emperor today gave a breakfast to Lieutenant Gravenreuth, Counselor Krauel and six officers belonging to Wisman's to the Southern California.

LONDON, March 6.—In the Commons this afternoon, Smith, the Government leader, moved the closure on the debate on the address in reply to the Queen's speech. Carried—247 to 85.

In a Bad Fix. Last night about 10 o'clock a man named Edward Harmie came to the police station, where he was booked for medical treatment and given lodging for the night. Harmie came in from the Southern Pacific train from Ft. Worth, and is suffering from a severe wound, he having been shot in the right leg some six weeks ago. He first took a hack and went to the Sisters' Hospital, but as he did not have enough money to pay for his keeping, the Sisters declined to take him in. He was then brought to the police station, and will make an effort to get into the County Hospital today. Harmie had but \$27 in money. He declined to go to a hotel last night after he was brought to the station, saying that he was almost exhausted, and preferred anything to going any further.

THE WEATHER. SIGNAL OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, March 6. At 5:37 a.m. the barometer registered 30.21; at 5:37 p.m. 30.01. Thermometer corresponding periods, 53, 61. Maximum temperature, 70; minimum temperature, 51. Weather, cloudy.

INDICATIONS. SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Indications for 24 hours for California: Rain in Northern California; generally fair weather in Southern California.

## A CAUCUS.

## Frankenfield Chosen For President of the Council.

The members-elect of the new Council held a caucus last night, at which there was a full attendance. Mayor-elect Hazard presided. The proceedings were very harmonious and the best of feeling prevailed throughout.

Maj. Bonnell and Mr. Frankenfield were the candidates for President of the Council, the latter gentleman carrying off the prize.

The remainder of the session was devoted to the consideration of the candidates for places on the various commissions, but nothing definite was decided upon, although a number of ballots were taken, and the whole question is still open.

By far the greatest interest is felt in the Police Commissionerships, and there is no lack of available timber offering on both sides. The various members of the caucus were pledged to secrecy, and it was impossible to get anything for publication except the bare fact that Mr. Frankenfield had been decided upon for president, after a thoroughly good-natured contest.

It was stated last night that no meeting would be held again until Monday evening, but several persons seemed to be of the opinion that another caucus would be held this afternoon.

After the caucus adjourned, on invitation of Mr. Frankenfield the gentlemen adjourned to the Eintracht, where the event was duly celebrated.

## A SAD SIGHT.

## Three Little Boys Taken from Their Mother.

An incident in connection with yesterday's TIMES, shows Castino in a rather unenviable light. Tuesday afternoon he and his wife and their three children went before Judge Clark, the lady endeavoring, as before described, to secure possession of her children by habeas corpus proceedings. When the Court denied the request the party went down stairs, and in front of the building Mrs. Castino had the youngest child, almost an infant, in her arms. Castino, with an oath, snatched the child from her. He used considerable force in doing so, and the mother was obliged to let the child go for fear of it being injured by the rough pulling of her husband. She was the picture of despair, as the husband snatched the child from her. He used considerable force in doing so, and the mother was obliged to let the child go for fear of it being injured by the rough pulling of her husband.

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## THE CITY IN BRIEF.

There will be "an evening with Longfellow" at the Christian Church, Temple street, tomorrow evening.

H. P. Sweet is out as a candidate for Chief of the Fire Department. He claims the endorsement of the insurance men.

A parlor recital of the Southern School of Elocution and Oratory will be given at 630 South Fort street, tomorrow evening.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Miss E. J. Hamon, George E. Platt, J. D. Pruetz, D. O. Barto.

Yesterday James Smith was found guilty of petty larceny before Justice Savage, having stolen an old coat. He was fined \$1 and costs.

Fred W. Stein has been appointed Aid-de-Camp and E. W. McKelvey Assistant Inspector on the staff of Department Commander George E. Gard, G. A. R.

A stereoscopic entertainment, "Rambles at Home and Abroad," will be given in Church Hall, St. Vincent's College, corner of Sixth and Fort streets, tomorrow evening.

Between 350 and 400 blank applications for positions on the police force have so far been issued from the Mayor's office. It is estimated that the number will reach 1000 before the 1st of April.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet tomorrow at 2:30 p. m., in Trinity M. E. Church South. Mrs. Marvin will give a Bible reading on "Melchisedec," and Miss Cowell will give a report of prison work.

John Smith, for medical treatment, and Ah Wong, a Chinaman taken in on suspicion, were the only arrests at the police station up to 8 o'clock last night, when a solitary lodger applied for a place to sleep and was accommodated.

J. White Elliott, the "mac," and Richard White, who robbed Dr. Clauson's room on Upper Main street Monday night, were examined before Justice Austin yesterday, and both were committed to the County Jail to await trial.

Sergeant Fletcher of the police force is gaining quite a reputation for the efficient manner in which he handles his squad, and yesterday night a large crowd gathered at the police station to see him take his watch out. It beats a circus.

Young Men's Institute No. 38 will hold its regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, 17 North Main street. An address by one of its best speakers, on an instructive and interesting topic, will be a leading feature of the programme.

The following were the arrivals at the County Jail yesterday: G. de Laroux, assault with a deadly weapon, Lancaster; Lottie Williams, petit larceny; J. White Elliott, vagrancy; and Richard White burglary, all from the city. There were 142 prisoners in the tanks at 7 o'clock last evening.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday: Alexander J. Young, aged 36, and Jennie Lee, aged 32; George Kerchall, aged 25, and Martha O. E. Hendricks, aged 21; Francisco J. Jansen, aged 25, and Feodora Velasco, aged 19; W. J. A. Smith, aged 42, and Eliza E. Goldner, aged 42; F. D. Wilson, aged 23, and Carrie Knoll, aged 22.

Lottie Williams, the Buena Vista street prostitute, arrested some days ago for robbing a man of \$20, was yesterday tried before Justice Austin for petty larceny, and, although she was defended by two lawyers, and the trial was by jury, the proof was so plain that a conviction was had in a few minutes. The woman will be sentenced this morning.

G. de Laroux was brought down from Lancaster yesterday and locked up in the County Jail on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. De Laroux is a crank, who some time ago got into some trouble in Justice Kane's court and was sentenced to a term in jail for contempt. The man is as crazy as a bedbug, and should be sent to San Quentin before he does some harm.

Huff's bad boy, little Herman, was found on Spring street again last night by Officer Hawley, and brought to the station, where he was kept until his parents called for him. His mother said he had been away from home since Saturday. The police think the boy should be sent to the industrial school at San Francisco, or put some where out of mischief, as he will be ruined if he continues in his present ways.

## PERSONAL NEWS.

J. C. Long of San Diego is at the Nadeau.

James E. Edwards of Riverside is at the Hollenbeck.

Vinton L. Mitchell of Redlands was in town yesterday.

A. Caldwell and son of Orange were in town yesterday.

H. J. Harlan of San Bernardino was in town yesterday.

A. J. Finlay of Santa Barbara is in the city staying at the Nadeau.

J. P. McCormick of San Diego was registered at the Hollenbeck yesterday.

Capt. George J. Ainsworth of Oakland is in the city, a guest at the Nadeau.

Frank Harwood, formerly of the Chicago Inter Ocean, is visiting his friend, Charles Glass, 623 Olive street.

J. H. Variel of Quincy, Plumas county, arrived in the city last night on a visit to his son, Hon. R. H. F. Variel. Mr. Variel will remain in the city several weeks.

Orrin Peck, who is remembered by many old-time Los Angeles as a very pleasant society gentleman and member of the Owl Dramatic Club in large synd, is now a full-fledged artist, and maintains a studio in Munich, Germany. A letter received from him by Maj. W. C. Pursey, gives a pleasant picture of society life among the German nobility, and fair prospects of scoring a success artistically.

The undersigned, a committee of the Bar Association of Los Angeles, have been directed by the association to invite the members of the members of the Bar for the purpose of taking such action with reference to the recent judgments as may seem proper to the members; and for that purpose the members of the Bar are requested to meet at Judge Clark's courtroom at 10 o'clock a. m. this (Thursday), the 7th day of March, 1899.

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Joe Pohlman, The Tailor.

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Daily Bulletin of the Great Dry Goods House.

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TO LET—2 FRONT ROOMS, PARTLY furnished for light housekeeping; cheap. 750 S. HILL ST.

TO LET—LARGE, PLEASANT ROOMS at moderate prices at the NORWOOD, corner Sixth and Hill.

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